Public Hall, Lodi, California. Feb. 26, 1912.

In adjourned regularysession of the Board of Trustees of the City of Ldi.the following trustees being present: J.M.Blodgett, G.E.Lawrence, C.A.Rich and L.Villinger. Absent: F.G.Hale.President Lawrence presiding.

The minutes of the meeting of Feb.19,1912, were read and approved.

Jas. Toy was granted a permit to construct a dwelling and barn on lots 182 of block 5.

Mr.J.H.Leary of Central California Traction Company stated that his company would like to procure a portion of the lot owned by the City at the SE.Cor.of Lodi Ave.and Sacramento Street, so that they could build a "Y" and thus get their trax in the conter of the street. The matter was referred to the street committee.

The bond of C.I.Rice for the faithful performance of his contract, in the sum of \$2000.00.guaranteed by a demand certificate of deposit for \$2000.00, was read and, on motion of Trustee Rich, approved.

The bond of C.I.Rice for the payment of material men and labor, in the sum of \$2000.00, guaranteed by a demand certificate of deposit, was read, and, on motion of Trustee Blodgett, approved.

The matter of insurance liability was taken up, and referred to Attorney Jones.

## RESOLUTION.

The following resolution was read, and, on motion of Trustee Blodgett, adopted by unanimous vote:

Whereas, The growth in population and consequent increase in business in the City of Lodi and surrounding country in the past few years has necessitated extensive municipal improvements, including city water and electric light works, and sewerage system (costing \$130,000), macadamized streets in the business section (costing \$40,000), a new union high school building and grounds (costing \$165,000), the building of cement sidewalks over a great portion of the city and the erection of many new and substantial buildings for the accommodation of rapidly increasing business, the facilities now provided by the government for conducting postal business in the City of Lodi have become entirely inadequate, therefore be it

Resolved, That the City Trustees of the City of Lodi do hereby request the Postmaster General to take action in the immediate future to provide in a convenient location, new and enlarged quarters for the Post Office to be equipped with new and modern conveniences for the transaction of postal business in the City of Lodi; and beit further.

Resolved, That this request be transmitted to Congressman J.C. Needham, calling his attention to the fact that the need is urgent, and asking him to present the same to the Post Office Department with his recommendation for early action.

The claims of Ed. Hoover (\$11.00) and Jas. Marlow(\$17.50) were ordered paid.

Inspector Hepper asked for permission to get 24 catch basin grates, three man-hole rings and covers, and 500' of 6" S.G.V.Pipe.
Referred to the Sewer Committee.

Matter of motor for the pumping plant was referred to Supt. Henning.

On motion, of Trustee Blodgett, the certified check of C.I.Rice for \$450.00 was ordered returned to him.

On motion of Trustee Rich, E.E. Deaver was authorized to place \$3500.00 insurance on the new municipal building.

The adjourned.

Attest:

City Clerk.